THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1894.

six Months. Fayment strictly in advance.

The POST has the largest circula tion of any paper in Southwest Vir ginia, and it is steadily increasing. An inspection of its subscription list is invited by those contemplating advertising.

Our City School-

Everyone who attended the closing exercises at Stonega Academy were thoroughly convinced of the great progress the pupils had made under the direction of Mr. Slemp as principal. The town is to be congratulated upon the wisdom of selecting Mr. Slemp as principal. We do not think a better man could have been found for the place. Combining with abilities of a high order of excellence, an indomitable will and untiring energy he makes an ideal instructor.

The closing exercises repleted much honor upon all the instructors. Everything was well arranged and the different tableaux and dialogues were gone through without an error. Mr. Slemp will teach again next year, to the gratification of the pupils and patrons of the school.

The Public School.

There are some of our people who do not seem to understand that publie schools are established for the benefit of the public, and seem to think that the officials who manage and control the school, employ teachers, &c., should consult with and converse the personal interest of individuals rather than the interest of the whole people.

The public at large have very little interest in who are employed as ulated upon having secured the valu- seven mile canal from a point above 24-27 teachers, but have a very great inter- able services of Prof. Chapman. est in the question of their capacity and fitness. The most skeptical are compelled to admit that the public school has been a great success during the past year. Yet there are a number of persons, who complain of and object to the action of the Council and the school Trustees in taking steps to secure the services of Mr. Slemp and his accomplished corps of teachers for another year.

The officials deserve the highest commendation for this action and the people will support them loyally for the steps taken to continue the school under the successful management of the past session. Let no man's prejudices or personal interests or desires interfere with or retard the growth and progress of our public

upon a plane far above that of any other in this section, and has not been excelled by any of the graded ing our way, but little was done schools of the larger towns.

such support during the next year as However, in 1891, a very creditable immigration seciety, the presidents of will still further advance it toward the highest excellence. Rise above exposition of Southern products was shall collect the reports from the the highest excellence. Rise above petty jealousies, prejudices and pique. products were exhibited in northern and price of lands for sale in their The future growth of the town will expositions at Buffalo and Elmyra; and respective counties, and the number depend largely upon the success of in 1893 the influence of the organiza- and character of immigrants desired, the school. Encouraged by the bright prospect of the school we Chicago. Now, in 1894, the prog- congress, who are to arrange for peralready hear of a number of families ressive men of the South have come manent immigration agents, both for my office in the town of Big Stone Gap, preparing to move here that they may to realize that the Southern people this country and Europe. The rail- Wise county, Virginia, to take an aghave the benefit of the school in the education of their children, and many others will follow their example.

the public good actuate any official that some practical steps must be in dealing with this question, which so virtually instructs us all. We should all be gratified that we can ta. It was decided to hold annual, secure the services of a principal so and perhaps semi-annual, meetings eminently and well qualified as Mr. Slemp and so fit in every way to di rect the education of the youth of delegates to be appointed by the and the national congress was urged who constitute his corps of associates and one for each railroad, and each have shown the highest capacity and board of trade and other commercial earnestness in their calling. Taken organizations in the Southern States. all together the organization is a sults of which we will all be proud.

Gladeville College. on an elevated plateau, in one of the of Berryville, who came very near ern, Carr, Tillman, and McCorkle, most beautiful and healthful sections gress; Mr. Seymore White, editor of na, and Patrick Walsh, of Georgia, of South-west Virginia. With a the old Fredericksburg Free Lance; and numbers of other distinguished climate bracing and delightful, and Mr. Jno. S. Williams, the banker of men. The congress completed its absolute freedom from all the entice- Richmond, Mr. J. A. Mullen, a law- work on Friday morning, June 1st, ments of city life, it offers every ad- yer and capitalist of Petersburg; State and the members were at once con

itants, the town now possesses a fine Commissioner of Agriculture, and in the afternoon the speech-making of all the liens affecting the lots in this college, embracing all modern re- Mr Walter Sharp, of Norfolk. Gov. and jollity was still in progress when plainant, being lots 19 and 20 of block 37; quirements for its purpose. It has ing by the unveiling of the soldier's catch a train back to the Old Domin- 11, 12 and 13 of block 11; lots 10 and 11

son 1894-5. We learn therefrom special car from Washington, con-patriotism. R. T. I. that the college has upon its roll the taining forty or fifty delegates, and June 4th, 1894.

primary, intermediate, preparatory and collegiate departments, presided knowledge of English, and also mathematics, Latin, Greek, geology, chemthe college confers the degree of Bachelor of Arts. It also issues cermathematics and natural science.

The principal of the college, Prof. C. Y. Chapman, A. M., who is well known as an efficient and experienc ed instructor, he having been presiof Tazewell College, Tenn.

Fully agreeing with Prof. Chapman that the object of a liberal edu cation is the careful training and harmonious inauguration of the powers of the human intellect, we go farther and say that the object is also to draw out and develop those powers and to furnish them with materstances of life. We are, therefore, glad to see so much importance attached, in the college training, to the and of mathematics. A knowledge and a study of mathematics will things. strengthen and develop the mental

The rule book of the college is the Bible, and its teachings, the formula according to the U. S. census 633 of which the conduct of the students per cent. In the same period Richis to be shaped, thus showing that the moral training of the latter is has eleven cotton factories alone, numplaced in the front rank.

The college, which re-opens in August next, is under the control of highly respectable Boards of Trustees and Directors, who are to be congrat-

We wish for the college a large and continually increasing measure

A GREAT MEETING

OF THE GOVERNORS AND REP RESENTATIVES OF THE SOUTH ERN STATES AT AUGUSTA, GA.,

To Consider Immigration and In dustrial Questions for the South.

Editor Post:

I have just returned from the third ession of the Southern Industrial met on May 30th, at Augusta, Ga. and it gives me pleasure to comply with your request to give a few notes of the trip to the readers of the Post. over the South later on. The sec- with the constituted state authorities ond was held at Asheville, in 1890, in increasing the wealth and popula but as everything seemed to be com- tion of the South. then, except to pass resolutions of congress to secure immigration was Let the people unite and give it self laudation and congratulation. that each county shall form a local gress at Raleigh, and in 1892 these local officers of the amount, quality tion was exerted to get the resources and these reports shall then be referof the South properly displayed at red to the executive committee of the must work out their own salvation; roads are to co operate with these favored section, will not alone outweigh the shrewdness and push of Let no other consideration than the men of the North and West; and get land for sale and not to sell it. taken to develop our mines, forests and farm lands. Hence the calling together of this Congress at Augushereafter. The basis of representation is one delegate from each congressional district in the South, three riculture and immigration bureaus

The town of Gladeville is situated from Virginia were, Hon. A. Moore, dresses were made by Govs. Northsucceeding Gov. O'Ferrall in Con- and Senators Jones, of North Caroli- 24-27 vantage as an educational centre for Hon. G. W. Hale, of Rocky Mount, means of the "nigger and the mule," et al, I shall proceed on the 30th day of Senator J. L. Treadway, of Danville; veyed up the canal several miles by president of the Roanoke and South- to the locks, where an old-fashioned June, 1894, at my office in the town of Big Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Cintment Thanks to the energy of its inhab- ern R. R., Col Thos, Whitehead, Georga barbeene was spread, and late | Stone Gap, Virginia, to take an account O'Ferral was prevented from attend- the Virginia delegation withdrew to lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 of block 12; lots 9, 19, snitable class-rooms, valuable charts, and sailor's monument at Richmond. ion, bearing with them an enlarged of block 12; and lots I and 2 of block 12, maps, and other essentials for work. On the train with us were Gov. Messeuse of the boundless possibilities of ny's Plat No. I, in the town of Big Stone We have before us a copy of the Corkle, the handsome and brainy our beautiful Southland, and her cer- Gap aforesaid, and showing the amounts

names of 200 students, divided into newspaper men and others, from for the "New South."

Augusta, next to Savannah, is the oldest town in Georgia, having been founded by Gen. Oglethrope in 1735. I doubt if there is anywhere in the South a city that embodies so much dent of Cumberland College, Va., and of the best, both of the old and new South. It is on the Savannah river, at the head of navigation, and in the older portion of the city there are Broad and Greene Streets, running parallel with the river, each being 180 feet wide with four rows of glorious old elm trees extending two miles in each street, and forming with their interlacing boughs wide arches of perfect green, through which flow the streams of modern ial for adaptability in all the circum- life. The majority of the homes are of old fashioned Southern type, low, frame buildings, with spacious verandas and balconies, covered with wisteria and other vines and flowers. acquisition of the good English, and There are miles of magnolias, and the of the latin and Greek languages, most glorious flowers seem to bloom perennially. The city has a popula tion of about 40,000 now, and the of the languages will open to the large factories in the suburbs, and mind of the student the finest litera- the modern blocks and homes are in ture of which the world can boast, striking contrast to the old order of

> Augusta led the South-and, inleed, the world-in the percentage of increase in manufacturing establishments from 1880 to-1890, this being mond increased only 43 per cent. and Louisville 27 per cent. Augusta now about 6,000 operators, and paying about one million and a half dollars Land Company and showing the amounts any party in interest. in wages every year. This marvel- and priorities of all such liens and in ous increase in its business has been whose favor that exist. made possible by the digging of a the rapids in the river through the city, which supplies the power to run all the machinery of all kinds in the city. This canal cost about two million dollars and the city now derives from it, and furnishes power at about one-ninth the cost of steam.

thoughtful men, assembled in a cause and for whose benefit they exist. of the first importance to our section. Old convention-goers in the South | 24-27 said they had never seen a more rep resentative body of men than the and Immigration Congress, which three hundred delegates there assembled. All the Southern States, as far west as Arizona, were represented. The most conspicuous feature of the meeting was the presence of The first of these meetings were held so many of the leading railroad manat Montgomery, in 1888, and did agers of the South, all ready to work The school has been conducted much to hasten the tide that swept in harmony with each other and

The working plan adopted by the This plan will result in finding out and for whose benefit they exist what lands can be bought and then bringing desirable purchasers directly in contact with the owners. The sentiment of the congress was unanimous against promiscuous, or unde: sirable immigration. The various States were urged to co-operate by ag-

Where the Gold Is.

tially necessary good sound practical ride in perfect May weather, with which has more metalic money than fields of corn and cotton, and flying past towns and villages, many of 582,605,000, and the silver coins to them shabby and sleepy looking, but \$4,042,700,000, while the paper of all such liens and in whose favor existphilosophy, evidences of Christianity, some giving signs of the new life and money has a face value of \$2,635,- ing. and political economy. Upon those progress, was delightful. At Au- 873,000. Of this vast amount France of its students who properly qualify, gusta, we were taken in charge by has \$800,000,000 worth of gold and the members of the Young Men's \$700,000,000 of silver; the United Business League, of Augusta, who States \$,604,000,000 worth of gold showed us every possible courtesy and \$615,000,000 worth of silver; Virginia rendered on the 14th day of tificates of proficiency in the separate during our stay, and whose enter- Great Britain \$550,000,000 worth of branches of music, latin, Greek, prise and efficiency speak volumes gold and \$1,000,000 worth of silver; Thruston, Trustee, Vs. D. J. Wells et al, I gold coin and \$211,000,000 worth of 1894, at my office in the town of Big Stone silver, while Russia, with a much the liens affecting the lot in this suit larger population, has \$250,000,000 sought to be subjected to the lien of the worth of gold and \$50.000,000 worth plaintiff, being lot 13, Block 39, Big Stone of silver coin. She has, however, Gap Improvement Company's Plat No. \$500,000,000 worth of paper money, while South America keeps in circu- such liens and for whose boufit existing. lation \$600,000,000 worth, the United States \$412,000,000, Austria \$260,000,000, Italy \$163,000,000, Germany \$107,000,000, France \$81,-000,000 and Great Britain \$50,000, 000. If the gold coins of the Unit ed States were divided into equal about \$9. Following the same plan every English man, woman and child \$20. The ratio of all kinds of money would still leave the Frenchman the the gold, silver and paper money in ist. France were shared equally, he would have \$40.50, while the citizen of the United States would have \$24.50, the residents of Austria, Holland and Belgim a little more, the Englishman \$13.50 and the Russian only \$7.16.

Virginia, rendered on the 10th of April, Wise County, Virginia, on Monday, th 1894, in the chancery cause therein pend- 25th day of June, 1894, to ascertain th

Respectfuily, JOR. L. KELLY, Special Commissioner.

a revenue of \$100,000 per annum April, 1894, in the chancers cause of Thruston, Trustee, Vs. Mathews, Trustee, Ishall proceed,on the 30th day of June, 1894, at my office in the town of Big Stone Gap, Space forbids my giving more Va., to take an account showing all the than a mere outline of the proceed- liens affecting the lots in this suit sought E. M. Hardin, W. E. Harris and F. ings of the convention. The details to be subjected to the lien of the plaintiff? being lots 7 and 8, Block 75, Big Stone the next regular term, that being the First were published in the daily papers of Gap Improvement Company's Plat No. 1, Monday in September, 1894, requiring the country from day to day. It Big Stone Gap, Virginia, showing the them to show cause if any they have or was a splended body of earnest and amounts and priorities of all such liens, can show, why judgement should not be

epacial Commissioner.

Notice of Commissioner's Sitting. Pursuant to the requirements of a deree of the circuit court of Wise county, Virginia, rendered on the 14th day of April, 1894, in the chancery cause theren pending of Thruston, Trustee, Vs. S. B. Mason et al, I shall proceed, on the 30th day of June, 1894, at my office in the town of Big Stone Gap, Virginia, to take an account of all liens affecting the lots in this cause sought to be subjected by the complainant, bei heing

Stone Gap Improvement Company's Plat No. 1, in the town of Big Stone Gap aforegaid, and showing the amounts and priorities of all such liens and in whose favor they exist. Respectfully,

Jos. L. KELLY,

Special Commissioner.

Notice of Commissioner's Sitting. Pursuant to the requirements of a decree of the circuit court of Wise county, Virginia, rendered on the 14th day April, in this suit sought to be subjected to the that what nature has done for this boards. Those who have worked lien of the plaintiff, being lots 3 and 4.

> Jos. L. KELLY, Special Commissioner.

Notice of Commissioner's Sittinge the town. The accomplished ladies governors of the respective States, to establish a permanent national ex- at, I shall proceed, on the 30th day of not be re-sold to satisfy the unpaid purposition at Washington, to display June,1894, at my office in the town of Big chase money thereon; Now, therefore, in the products of the fields, forests and mines of the country. Plans for subjected to the lien of the plaintiff, be-I went as a delegate from this dis- thorough advertising were adopted, ing lot 4, block 57; 7, 8 and 9 of block 12; A. Stratton is required to appear here on trict, and by previous arrangement, and each State was urged to print and 6 of block 69; 3 and 4 of block 11; 4 and 5 the first day of the next regular term of strong one and cannot be improved. met the other delegates from this furnish to the executive committee of block 68; 5 of block 69; lot 33 of block 69; lot 33 of block of can show, why the judgement aforesaid and we went to Augusta in a body, mation. A great many valuable and ny's Plat No. 1, Big Stone Gap, Wise the property aforesaid ro-sold to satisfy arriving there on Wednesday morn- interesting papers were read, which County, Virginia, and showing the amounts unpaid purchase money thereon. And it ing the 30th. The other delegates will be printed and distributed. Ad- ann priorities of all such liens, and for is ordered that a copy of this order be

Jos. L. KELLY.

Notice of Commissioner's Sitting. Pursuant to the requirements of a deeree of the circuit court of Wise county, Virginia, rendered on the 14th day of April, 1894, in the chancery cause of cause sought to be subjected by the com college's announcements for the sea- young executor of West Virginia, tain destiny, if her sons will work to- and priorities of all such liens, and in

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Jos. L. KELLY, Special Commissioner. Jok, B ; Storie Gip, Va.

Pursuant to the requirements of a de-York, many of them men of national reputation. At Columbia next countries in the world its stock reputation. At Columbia, next est countries in the world, its stock April, 1894, in the chancery cause of Wolfe, morning, Gov. Tillman and a dele- of gold and silver money is not by Clay & Co. Vs. B. F. Kilbourn, I shall prosubjects of study embraces an essentially necessary good sound and sound and a deletially necessary good sound and sound a jolly companions, through the new any other nation. The gold coins in affecting let 5, block 32 Big Stone Gap

Special Commissioner.

Notice of Commissioner's Sitting. Pursuant to the requirements of a deshowing the amounts and priorities o Respectfully,

Jos. L. KELLY, Special Commissione Notice of Commissioner's Sitting.

shares, each person would have Elwee Vs. C. H. Spalding therein pending, I shall proceed, on the 30th day of June, 1894, at my office in the town of Big Stone Gap, Va., to take an account of all would have about \$14.50, every Ger- the liens affecting lots 2 and 3, Block 27, pany's Plat 3, Big Stone Gap, Va., and READ THIS: showing the amounts and priorities of richest man in the world, for if all all such liens and in whose favor they ex

Jos. L. KELLY, Special Commissioner

COMMISSIONER'S SITTING.

Henry S. King & Son.,]

Morgan & Bush. Chancery cause, now Pursuant to the requirements of a de- court, on the 6th day of April, 1994, I wil ing of Louisville & Nashville Railroad liens upon the tract of land in the bill and Company Vs. Fayette Land Company, I proceedings in this cause mentioned; their shall, on the 30th day of June, 1894, at my priorities and the persons entitled thereoffice in the town of Big Stone Gap, Va., to, the annual rental value of the said bering 218,000 spindles, employing the liens affecting the property in the bill will, in five years, pay off the said liens and exhibits in said cause described as and any other matters specially stated

S. H. Bosp, Special Commissioner. May 25, 1894.

PUBLICATION OF RULE.

VIRGINIA: At rules held in theClerk's Office of the Circuit Cours

of Wise on the 8th day of May, 1894; Thruston, Trustee, Harris & Hardin, et al. Whereas, by an order of the Circuit Court of Wise County, Virginia, entered

in above styled cause on the 14th day of April, 1894, a rule was awarded against randered against them in the sum of \$243.36 and the costs of this proceeding and why the property herotofore sold under decree in above styled cause to W. E. Harris and E. M. Hardin should not be re-sold to satisfy the delinquent purchase money therefor and the costs of this proceeding. Now, therefore, in pursuance of said order. And affidavit having been Country or Town, Private or Public, Insuren at 1 made that E. M. Hardin and F. A. Stratton are non-residents of this State, the Wm. H. McCARTHY, Sec. said parties are required to appear here on the first day of the next regular term of said court to show, if they can, why the dered against them, and the property aforesaid re sold to satisfy the delinquent purchase money thereon. And it is ordered that a copy of this order be forthwith published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Big Stone Gap Post, a newspaper printed in the town of Big Stone Gap, in the County of Wise, State of Virginia, and posted at the front door of the court-house of said county, on the first day of the next County Court for the said county after the date of this order.

A copy :- Teste: W. E. Kilgone, Clerk, By C. A. JOHNSON, D. C.

PUBLICATION OF RULE.

VIRGINIA: At rules held in the Clerk's

Office of the Circuit Court for the Thruston, Trustee, W. G. Green, et al.

with these questions say that in the block 62, and lots 1, 2 and 3 of block 54, on the 14th day of April, 1894, in above South the trouble has always been to Improvement Company.s Plat No. 1, Big styled cause, at rule, was awarded against Stone Gap, Virginia, and showing the W. E. Harris and F. A. Stratton returna- | Slemp and lighta-the gentlemen to be found behind amounts and Priorities of all such liens, ble to the first day of the next regular that you have polite attention Monday in September next) requiring them to show cause, if any ther can show, against them in the sum of two hundred and thirty dollars, with interest thereon from November 21st, 1892, and the costs Parsuant to the requirements of a de- of this proceeding, and why the lots hereree of the circuit court of Wise county, tofore sold under decree in this cause to irginia, rendered on the 14th day of W. E. Harris to wit: Lots 11 and 12 of April, 1894, in the chancery cause of block 65, "Improvement Company's Plat Thruston, Trustee, Vs. W. F. Edmunds et No. 1," of Big Stone Gap, Virginia should forthwith published once a week, for four! successive weeks in the Big Stone Gap Post, a newspaper printed in the town of Special Commissioner. Big Stone Gap, in the county of Wise. State of Virginia, and posted at the front door of the court-house of said county, on the grst day of the next County Court for the said county after the date of this order. A copy; Teste;

W. E. KILGORK, Clerk. By C. A. Johnson, D. C. H. C McDowell, Jr., p. q. May17 21-24

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